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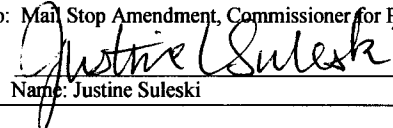
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Mitani et al.	Examiner:	Angela M. Bertagna
Serial No.:	10/532975	Group Art Unit:	1637
Filed:	April 28, 2005	Docket No.:	20078.0005USWO
Title:	PROCESS FOR AMPLIFYING NUCLEIC ACIDS		

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

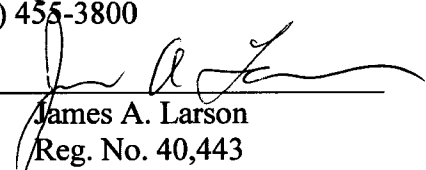
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 3-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed July 29, 2009, said period of response being extended from October 29, 2009 to January 29, 2010.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3478 in the amount of \$1,110.00 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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